

Hello Auxiliary Members,

Summer is winding down and the new focus is back to school. Please send out your Illustrating America information as soon as you can. Don't forget that the new due date is ***December 15, 2026***. There are many places that you can drop off entry forms for Illustrating America: schools, libraries, YMCA, Boys and Girls Club, local churches, etc. Why not have an art day at your auxiliary. It is fun and by supplying the art supplies for the kids it would allow more children to participate.

Also it is time to think about what youth events your auxiliary would like to plan for the upcoming year. Believe it or not, Halloween is right around the corner. The first auxiliary that sends me three events that have been planned I will donate \$25 to your auxiliary to help with the costs of one of those events. Let's have a contest!

Sincerely,

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